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Plaister Paris.

JOHN H. LADD, & Co. offer for sale the cargo of the schooner Mary
120 tons Plaister Paris.

For Freight,

The substantial good schr. MARY, Elijah Worton master, burthen 102 tons, will take freight for Europe, the West Indies, or Coastwise.
July 8 2w

For Sale, Freight, or Charter,

The substantial schooner JANE, captain Cash, burthen 1000 bbls. will be ready for the reception of a cargo in a day or two.—For terms apply to
June 8 FR. ADAMS, Jun.

For Freight,

The fast sailing schooner NELSON, Tenney master, burthen 550 barrels, is a superior vessel, and can be ready for a cargo in a few days. Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
Who have for sale said schooner's cargo of lime, lumber, and tanner's bark.
May 25

E. Corning,

Has just received by the sloop Rising Sun, and schooner Sally,
40 bbls. country gin
4 hhds. do.
20 hhds. N. E. rum
20 bbls. do.
310 casks Lime
12 bbls. mess and prime pork
25 boxes spermaceti candles
20 baggs coffee
4 yawl boats
5 hhds. sugar } in store
6 do. molasses
150 bushels potatoes, &c. }

Also for Freight,

The good sloop MARY, capt. Bourne, to any part of the United States.—Enquire as above, Vowell's wharf.
June 3 wfm

William Devaughn,

Hair Dresser and Perfumer, Royal street,

RETURNS his thanks to the public in general, for the liberal encouragement he has received, and hopes a continuance of the same by his zeal and strict attention to business.

Just received and for sale at his store, the following articles:

First quality razors	Dressing do.
Razor strops	Beaver gloves
Cloth brushes	First and second quality do.
Hat do.	Whips, canes, and Rattans
Penetrating hair brushes	Oil Antigue for the hair
Common do.	Musk and oil of
Pencil cases	
Pocket books	Essence of Lavender
Snuff boxes	Do. cinnamon
Dressing cases	Do. Lemon
Hair powder	Milk of roses
Tooth do.	Essence of sassafras
Shaving boxes	Do. of winter-green
Nail brushes	Vegetable almond paste for washing the skin
Shaving do	Cologne water
Naples soap for shaving	
Windsor soap by the box	
Tuck combs	
Pocket do.	

And many other articles in his line too tedious to mention. June 1.

100 Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber's farm, near Piscataway, Md. on or about the 1st day of March, 1818, a dark mulatto man named Nick, five feet ten or eleven inches high, slender made, a little deaf, speaks a little through his nose, has been in the habit of wearing rings in his ears, but may have taken them out to avoid discovery. Said negro Nick has a wife on Mr. Thomas A. Diggs's land, near Fort Washington, and is probably harbored in that neighborhood. I will give the above reward of Thirty Dollars, if taken out of the State of Maryland, and Twenty if taken in the State, more than ten miles from home—if within ten miles of home, Ten Dollars.
JNO. H. BEANES.
april 23 thstu

Notice.

THE subscribers to the Falls Bridge Turnpike Company residing in Fairfax County, Virginia, who lately subscribed with a view to enable the Company to build a Bridge across the lower Ford of Difficult Run and to forward the Turnpike road, are hereby notified that they are required to pay to John Templeman, the Superintendent on the road, or to his order, a monthly instalment of ten dollars per share, to commence on the 20th July next and to continue till the whole amount of subscriptions are paid up.
By order of the Board,
JOHN MURDOCH, Treas.
Georgetown, June 19, 1818. F3t*

Hardware.

LEWIS HIPKINS & Co. have received per the Mohawk, via Baltimore, a small addition to their former assortment of hardware, which renders the assortment tolerably complete and extensive. AMONG WHICH ARE,

Shoe thread in balls, of good quality
English bridle and skirting leather, of superior quality
Men's and women's saddle trees
Plated chain spurs
Girth webbing
Waldron's grain and grass sithes
Sickles
Patent iron tea kettles

WITH A VARIETY OF

Cutlery & Mongery Goods;

all of which are offered at reduced prices to punctual customers. June 11

Coffee, &c.

40,000 Pounds coffee. Jamaica, Havana & Porto Rico green, and St. Domingo
20,000 lb. brown and pitched soap
500 boxes mould and dipped candles
Of their own manufacture and warranted best quality. For sale by
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
Wines, liquors, and groceries, as usual.
June 9

Wanted

TO purchase or hire for a term, a middle aged Female Servant, accustomed to cook, wash, and iron; one without children would be preferred.
Apply to JOHN H. CREASE.
June 6.

Richard Wood,

HAIR-DRESSER AND PERFUMER,

FAIRFAX-STREET,

HAS just received at his fancy store, and for sale, the following articles:

Antique } OILS	Reticule clasps
Macassar } OILS	Cravat spring pads
Russia } OILS	Curls; frizetts
Hard & } POMATUMS	Curling Tongs, large and small
Soft } POMATUMS	
Pearl, tooth } POWDER	Dominos
and hair } POWDER	Snuff in bottles
Tortoise shell tuck } COMBS	Chewing tobacco
	Rouge, in pots
Dressing and } COMBS	Pocket Pistols
Ivory tooth } COMBS	Almon paste [puff
Gilt, set with } COMBS	Swansdown Powder
pearl } COMBS	Otto of roses

ALSO,

Dressing cases, latest fashion, with feet
Ribbon watch chains, various colors
Mohair netts, various colors
Soaps of various kinds; washballs
Naples shaving soap; necklaces
Razors, warranted of superior quality
Pen and pocket knives; scissors
Needles, of various sizes
Sewing cotton; smelling bottles, with gold and silver tops; visiting cards and cases, suspenders, clothes' brushes and tooth and nail do. shaving and shoe do. Lond. dolls, old English razors, strops of all kinds, and expects in a few days a further supply of fancy articles, from France, by the Elizabeth Sturges, which with his assortment on hand, will be sold low, for cash only. June 23

Bolting Cloths.

THE subscriber has this day received, a large and elegant assortment of Bolting Cloths, of a superior quality, which will be offered for sale at the store of Messrs. Butts & Cawood, King-street, Alex'a, where he intends keeping a complete assortment in FUTURE.
Sept 6 AMOS ALEXANDER.

Bath House.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public, that his Bath House will be kept open during the season, and no exertions on his part shall be wanting to give satisfaction to those who shall favor him with their custom.—Two baths, distinct from the rest, are expressly reserved for the use of Ladies—who will be waited on agreeably to their directions. ☞ Tickets will be ready for delivery on Friday next.

☞ The subscriber has received by the Norfolk packet, a quantity of Fresh LIMES, which will enable him to keep a constant supply of PUNCH, of the best quality. T. SHIELDS.
June 17 tf

Bottled Porter and Ale.

JOSIAH H. DOE

HAS just commenced bottling best Transparent Pale Ale and Porter, (from the Georgetown and Philadelphia breweries) on Duke street, between Union and Water streets, where he will be happy to meet the commands of his friends and the public in general. To those who are disposed to become regular customers, or wish to purchase by the dozen or gross, will be made a handsome discount.

Boarders Wanted.

Two or three boarders can be accommodated on moderate terms, by applying as above. June 30

E. Corning,

HAS just received by the schooner Rising Sun, and for sale at Vowell's wharf,
10 hhds N. E. rum
50 bbls prime and mess pork
50 casks of lime
4 chests of young hyson tea
2 cases domestic goods
1 yawl boat
July 7 tuths2w

Just Published.

JOSEPH MILLIGAN has this day published a new edition of a Treatise on being Born Again, without which no man can be saved, By Saml. Wright, D. D. To which is added, the Communicant's Spiritual Companion; or an Evangelical preparation for the Lord's Supper, by the Rev. Thomas Haweis, rector of Aldwinkle, Northamptonshire, and chaplain to the right honorable the earl of Peterborow. Price bound 87 1-2 cts.

It may be had by application to any of the principal booksellers in the district of Columbia. July 3.

London Cloths & Cassimeres.

JUST received per ship Nancy, from London, via Baltimore,

Sheppard's & Maclean's

best cloths and cassimeres of various colors; a few gross of the 1st quality gilt coat buttons, and a few dozen of very superior colored and white crown patent threads. Likewise a variety of European, India, and domestic goods,—got cheap and will be sold low for cash.
GEORGE CAIRN & Co.
Next door to the Washington Tavern, King street. 1m June 27

Robert Gray,

Next door west of the corner of King & Royal Streets

HAS just received on consignment, the following BOOK and STATIONARY ARTICLES, viz:

Volney's Ruins; Thaddeo of Warsaw; Olney Hymns; Fanew's Letters
Murray's Reader, Grammar, Exercises and Key;
Triumphs of Temper;
New-York Reader, No. 1, 2, & 3;
Episcopal prayer books
Travels at Home; Cases of Conscience
Chalmer's Discourses
Accidents of Human Life
Placede, a Spanish Tale; Tanners, a novel; Balance of Comfort
Letters from the Cape of Good Hope
Bonaparte's Letter to Lord Liverpool
Coxe's Female Scripture Biography
Beauties of Robertson
Harrington and Ormond
Memoirs of Moreau
——— Bernadotte
——— Rachael Baker
Youth's Cabinet
Murray's Grammar, Abridged
Murray's, Webster's Comly's, and York Spelling Books
New-York Preceptor and Primer
Allison's Sermons, 2 volumes
Tales of Fancy; Poetical Chronology
Clavis Ciceronis; Tacitus
Airs of Palestine; Hubert and Ellen
Valentine's Eve; Readings on Poetry
Lord of the Isles
Sancho, or The Proverbialist
Cowper's Poems; Comic Dramas
Paris Revisited; French War in Spain
Poet's Pilgrimage; Masonic Minstrel
Simpson's Conic Sections
Willish's Lectures
Rambach's Meditations
Sidney on Government
Warren's America; Military Tutor
Family Prayers; American Star
Sanford and Merton; Scott's Lessons
Looking Glass for the Mind
Pocket and school Bibles & Testaments
Jess's Surveying
Johnson's Dictionary, large and small
Child's Monitor; American Nepos
History of England
Addison's Works, 6 vols. boards
Federalist; Clerk's Magazine
Columbian Letter Writer
Introduction to Reading
Episcopal Hymns, &c. &c.

Stationary:

Plain and fancy letter, superfine and common cap writing and large brown wrapping paper; band box and bonnet boards; playing cards; ink powder, red and black; black morocco pocket books; wedgewood cork and paper inkholders; lead and slate pencils; superfine English and American drawing paper; Reeves's colors in boxes; German and octave flutes; fifes and clarionets; black sand and sand boxes; wafers; quills; blank checks on the Mechanics' and Farmers' banks; bills of lading; seamen's articles; manifests and powers of attorney; bank books, copy and cyphering books, plain and ruled ledgers journals day books invoices, letter & common account books in full and half binding. Orders for any description of BLANK BOOKS executed at a short notice; and warranted for neatness, strength and durability, equal to any in the district. June 27.

Notice.

I AM ready to contract for taking up and repaving Duke and Water streets, when the citizens owning property thereon agree to repave the sideways at their own expense, agreeably to an order of Council, dated November 1, 1817, for which purpose, and their accommodation, a subscription paper is left with Mr. Evan P. Taylor.
ROBT. BROCKET, Street Com.
May 4

Wine,

RECEIVED by the schooner Maria, from Madeira,
Half pipes, quarter casks and half quarter casks

Old Madeira,
and half quarter casks
Old Tinta, Sercial and Malmsey Wine,

from the house of Keirs & Co. which will be sold at cost by
LAWRASON & FOWLE
Who have received per the ship Hazard, from Cork,
50 casks Irish butter, of superior quality.
May 27

Robert Gray

RESPECTFULLY inform his friends and former customers, that he has recommenced the

Bookbinding and Stationary Business,

next door to the corner of King and Royal streets, and is prepared to execute any orders in the Bookbinding buisness with which he may be honored—he is also supplied on commission, with a small assortment of Stationary comprised of articles most in demand, and particularly invites the attention of juvenile customers to articles used in schools, such as Cyphering and Copy books, &c. which are made of the best materials that can be procured and at the usual prices—orders from Banks or public offices for any kind of blank account books, can be executed in a style of strength and elegance equal to any in the United States. May 27

Tanning and Currying.

JOSEPH HESTON continues to carry on the above business at his old stand in Prince street, between Water and Union streets, where he will be always ready to execute orders in his line with promptness and despatch.

He keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of

Leather,

of as various qualities as can be found in any shop in the District—which he will dispose of at very low prices for cash.
11 mo. 6 tf

For Sale,

BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT,
Dr. DEAN'S
Genuine Vegetable Rheumatic
PILLS,

So celebrated in New-England for the many remarkable cures which they have wrought, some of which are particularized in the papers of directions, where any thousand boxes are used annually to general satisfaction.

These pills are recommended by men of the first characters in the state of Massachusetts.
JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
January 20

ENGLISH AND GERMAN

ALMANACS, for 1818,

JUST published and for sale by the gross, dozen or single one,
By JOHN A. STEWART,
Who has on hand,
a large assortment of writing and letter paper, pasteboard, slates, blank books, quills, sealing wax, wafers, playing cards, and paper for prints.

ALSO,

Family and common bibles and testaments, prayer books, psalm and hymn books, with many other established religious works of merit. A general assortment of

School Books,

Among which are the Greek and Latin Classics, Dilworth's, Webster's, Mavor's, Comley's, Murray's, Columbian and Philadelphia spelling books, Murray's, Webster's, Ashe's and Comley's grammars, Murray's Primer, Introduction, Reader, Exercises and Key, Am. Class Book, Blair's Reading Exercises, New Introduction to Reading, New-York Reader, No. 1, 2 and 3, Scholar's Lessons, Enfield's Speaker, Goldsmith's England, Rome and Greece, Walker's Selection, American Speaker, Dilworth's and Croxall's Fables, Blair's Grammar of Chemistry, O'Neal's and Wilson's Geography, Dilworth's, Tutor's, Jess's & Jaudon's Arithmetic, Johnson's, Walden's, and Walker's Dictionary. Atlases and Maps, etc. etc. together with a general stock of Law, History and Miscellany.

Wholesale purchasers allowed a liberal discount. A[illegible]21.

Notice.

ALL persons having accounts against St. Paul's Church, that have not been rendered, will please hand them to Mr. DANIEL SOMERS immediately.
June 8 tf

Carpeting.

ON hand at the auction store corner of Prince and Water streets, Holland Rush Carpets, (justly celebrated for their durability)—of different widths and qualities, which may be seen and purchased at any time.
P. G. MARSTELLER.
June 18

Cheap Carpets,

(*Suitable for Summer use,*) &c. &c.

108 PIECES floor, passage & stair straw carpeting, low priced
30 bags filberts
500 lbs hulled barley
80 bundles cassia
170 groce velvet corks
50 bbls herrings, No. 1—inspection of last year, in sound order, and at a low price
3500 gallons cider vinegar
40 dozen claret, low priced
20 dozen do very old, and fine quality—For sale by
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
June 17

Withers & Washington,

A FEW doors east of the Washington Tavern, have just opened a handsome assortment of

Spring Goods,

which they offer at the most reduced prices for cash. March 26

Boarding.

MR. BOARMAN will accommodate six or eight genteel boarders at his dwelling on Pitt street, between King and Prince streets, near the Washington Inn—having provided himself with every thing suitable for their reception, by the month, quarter, or year, as may be deemed most expedient. May 28

Fifty Dollars Reward.

THERE came to the stables of the subscriber, on Monday the 1st inst. a person calling himself

Mr. PEYTON,

and obtained a horse and gig on hire, as he said, to go to Ellicott's Mills, and return in the afternoon of the same day; and as he has not yet returned, there is strong reason to believe that his intention is to swindle me out of my property. He is about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, apparently about 25 or 30 years of age, of genteel appearance, and well calculated to deceive.

The horse is a grey, about 15 hands high, 9 or 10 years old, has a switch tail, a speck on the right eye, and moves swiftly. The gig has a green body, carriage and wheels black, the lining of blue cloth, red stuff top, linings, plated double—outside joints.

I will give the above reward for the recovery of the horse and gig, and the detection of the *scoundrel*, or 20 dollars for the horse and gig only, and all reasonable expenses if delivered to me, No. 26, North Liberty street, Baltimore.
MICHAEL CAMPSALT.
Baltimore, June 8

An Act

Incorporating a Company to establish a Turnpike Road from Wiley's tavern, in the county of Fairfax, to a point of intersection on the Little River Turnpike Road, or on the line of the district of Columbia. Passed February 14, 1818.

BE it enacted by the General Assembly, that it shall be lawful to open books at Fairfax court-house, and in the town of Alexandria, under the direction of Francis Peyton, Augustine L. Smith, Wm. Moss, Johnston Cleveland, Amos Alexander, Mordecai C. Fitzhugh, Jonah Thompson, George Deneale and James H. Hoge, or any three of them, for receiving subscriptions to the amount of sixty thousand dollars, for the purpose of making a turnpike road from Wiley's tavern, in the county of Fairfax, to a point of intersection on the Little River Turnpike Road, or on the line of the district of Columbia, as shall be designated by the directors of the company herein after named.

When a sufficient number of shares shall have been subscribed, the subscribers, their heirs and assigns, shall be and they are hereby incorporated into a company by the name of "The Middle Turnpike Company," agreeably to the act, entitled, "An Act prescribing certain general regulations for the incorporation of Turnpike Companies."

This act shall be in force from the passing thereof.

Richmond, March 11th, 1818.

The foregoing is a true copy of an act of the General Assembly, passed February 14th, 1818.
WILLIAM MUMFORD,
Keeper of the Rolls.
april 30 tf

For the prevention and cure of BILIOUS AND MALIGNANT FEVERS is recommended

HAHN's ANTI-BILIOUS PILLS

THIS Medicine has been attended with a degree of success highly grateful to the inventor's feelings in several parts of the West Indies and in the Southern and Middle States, &c.

The testimony of a number of persons can be adduced, who have reason to believe that a timely use of this salutary remedy has, under Providence, preserved their lives when in the most alarming circumstances.

Facts of this conclusive nature speak more in favour of a medicine than columns of pompous eulogy founded on mere assertion.

It is not indeed presumptuously proposed as an infallible cure, but the inventor has every possible reason that can result from extensive experience for believing that a dose of these Pills taken once in every two weeks during the prevalence of our bilious fevers, will prove an infallible preventive; and further, that in the earlier stages of those diseases their use will very generally succeed in restoring health, and frequently in cases esteemed desperate and beyond the power of common remedies.

The operation of these pills is perfectly mild, so as to be used with safety by persons in every situation and of every age.

They are excellently adapted to carry off superfluous bile and prevent its morbid secretions—to restore and amend the appetite—to produce a free perspiration and thereby prevent colds which are often of fatal consequences. A dose never fails to remove a cold if taken on its first appearance: they are celebrated for removing habitual costiveness—sickness at the stomach and severe head-ache—and ought to be taken by all persons on a change of climate.

They have been found remarkably efficatious in preventing and curing disorders attendant on long voyages, and should be procured and carefully preserved for use by every seaman.

Hamilton's Elixir,

A sovereign remedy for colds, obstinate coughs, asthmas, sore throats, catarrhs, and approaching consumptions.—To parents who have children afflicted with the *HOOPING COUGH*, this discovery is of the first magnitude, as it affords immediate relief, cheeks the progress, and in a short time entirely removes the most cruel disorders to which children are liable. The Elixir is perfectly agreeable, and the dose so small that no difficulty arises in taking it.

Hamilton's Grand Restorative,

Is recommended as an invaluable medicine for the speedy relief and permanent cure of

Nervous Disorders	Violent cramps in the stomach and back
Consumptions	
Lowness of spirits	Indigestion
Loss of appetite	Melancholy
Impurity of blood	Gout in the stomach
Hysteric'l affection	Pains in the limbs
Inward weaknesses and debility	Relaxations, etc.

Hamilton's Essence and Extract of Mustard.

A safe and effectual remedy for acute and chronic rheumatism, gout, rheumatic gout, palsy, lumbago, numbness, white swellings, chilblains, sprains, bruises, pain in the face and neck, etc. etc.

Lee's Ointment for the Itch.

Warranted an infallible remedy at one application, may be used with perfect safety by pregnant women, or on infants a week old, not containing a particle of mercury or any dangerous ingredient whatever, and not accompanied with that tormenting smart which attends the application of other remedies.

Hahn's true & genuine German Corn Plaister.

An infallible remedy for corns, speedily removing them root and branch, without giving any pain.

The Genuine Persian Lotion,

So celebrated among the fashionable throughout Europe, is an invaluable cosmetic, perfectly innocent and safe, free from corrosive and repellent minerals, the basis of other lotions, and of unparalleled efficacy in removing blemishes of the face and skin, freckles, pimples, inflamatory redness, scurfs, tetters, ringworms, sunburns, prickly heat, &c.

Hahn's genuine Eye Water,

A sovereign remedy for all diseases of the eyes, whether the effect of natural weakness or of accident.

Tooth Ache Drops.

The only remedy yet discovered which gives immediate and lasting relief in the most severe instances.

Lee's Infallible Ague and Fever Drops

For the cure of agues, remittent and intermittent fevers.

☞ At the place of sale pamphlets may be had gratis, describing cures performed by the above medicines; the number, importance and respectability of which, fully justify every article of this advertisement.

Sold only wholesale and retail, by
JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
september 26 King-st. Alexandria.

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From the Franklin Gazette.

STANZAS.

"*This world is all a fleeting show.*"

There is an hour of peaceful rest,
To mourning wand'rers given;
There is a tear for souls distrest,
A balm for ev'ry wounded breast—
'Tis found above in Heaven!

There is a soft, a downy bed,
'Tis fair as breath of even;
A couch for weary mortals spread;
Where they may rest the aching head,
And find repose in Heaven!

There is a home for weeping souls,
By sin and sorrow driven;
When tost on lifes' tempestuous shoals,
Where storms arise, and ocean rolls,
And all is drear—but Heaven!

There faith lifts up the tearful eye,
The heart with anguish riven:
And views the tempest passing by,
The evening shadows quickly fly,
And all serene, in Heaven!

There fragrant flow'rs immortal bloom,
And joys supreme are given;
There rays divine, disperse the gloom,
Beyond the confines of the tomb,
Appears the dawn of Heaven! W.

In the 4th Canto of Lord Byron's Childe Harold, just republished by Mr. Thomas, we find the following elegant compliment to this country. The contrast which is drawn between us and France, is equally flattering and just. [*Philad. Union.*

Can tyrants but by tyrants conquered be,
And Freedom find no champion and no child,
Such as Columbia saw arise, when she
Sprung forth a Pallas, armed and undefiled?
Or must such mind be nourish'd in the wild,
Deep in the unprun'd forest, 'midst the roar
Of cataracts, where nursing nature smiled
On infant Washington? Has earth no more
Such seeds within her breast, or Europe no such shore?

But France got drunk with blood to vomit crime,
And fatal have her Saturnalia been
To Freedom's cause, in every age and clime:
Because the deadly days which we have seen,
And vile ambition that built up between
Man and his hopes an adamantine wall,
And the base pageant cast upon the scene,
Are grown the pretext for the eternal thrall
Which nips's life's tree, and dooms man's worst—his second fall..

From an Irish paper.

REGENT'S LEVEE—AMERICA.

Dublin, March 13.

On Thursday, his Royal Highness the Prince Regent held his first levee for the season, at Carlton-House. It was extremely crowded by Nobility, foreigners of distinction and gentry.

"Previous to the commencement of the levee, after the usual forms of the Prince Regent's entering his state apartment, Mr. Rush, Envoy extraordinary, and Minister Plenipotentiary from the United States of America, was introduced to the Prince Regent by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, as principal Secretary of State for foreign affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq the assistant master of the ceremonies. His excellency had a closet audience, delivered his credentials, and was most graciously received. Mr. J. Adams Smith, Secretary of the Legation of the United States of America, and Mr. Taylor, attached to the Legation of the United States, were also presented to the Regent upon their appointments."

The introduction of these personages recals to our recollection an anecdote of the King, highly creditable to the good sense and self possession of his Majesty.

After the King had been compelled, by a series of disasters, to recognize the independence of the United States of America, Mr. John Adams was delegated to act as their envoy at the Court of St. James's.—To meet him, the King was obliged to offer violence to his feelings. His majesty said previously, that it would be the most trying hour of his life. However, when the hour arrived, the King conquered his repugnance—he received Mr. Adams in the most gracious manner, and after the usual introduction, his Majesty said—"Mr. Adams, I have been the last man in the Kingdom who consented to recognize the independence of my late colonies—I shall also be the last person to attempt to violate it."

Mr. Adams was greatly affected, and took every opportunity afterwards of contradicting the opinions, then very prevalent, unfavorable to his Majesty's personal character.

ALEXANDRIA:
FRIDAY MORNING, JULY 10, 1818.

FOR THE GAZETTE.

In a family with whom I have always been on a footing of the most perfect intimacy, there is a very pretty little girl of about seven years of age, who has got into a habit of applying the word "*funny*" to every object that particularly strikes her as out of the ordinary course of things—and though I have made frequent enquiries, I have not yet been able to learn how she happened to take it up. Being a friend of the family however, I have frequently endeavored to check the habit and teach the child to annex to the word, if she used it at all, a correct and appropriate idea. It is not so easy a matter, however—for with all my pains, it was but last Thursday that seeing a funeral pass by, she turned about and asked, with a sweet infantine simplicity in her countenance, "*is not that funny?*"

And after all, is there any thing in this child's misapplication of the word 'funny' more absurd than a thousand misapplications of other words of which adults, nay, grey-beards; reputed scholars, and would-be great men, orators and political scribes, "full of wise saws and modern instances," every day of their existence plume themselves upon uttering? The word patriot, for instance, is worn to a slipper with misapplication; and the abuse is the more blameable, because the meaning of the term is so perfectly definite that he who goes astray in it must err wilfully. Yet it is constantly wrested to a meaning so directly the reverse of the true one, that there is reason to fear it will gradually degenerate into an established expression (*quasi lucus a non lucendo*) for something almost hostile to country; such as traitor, cusmopolite, demagogue, election pander, stump orator, or any other of these *ignis fatuuses* or will-o-the-wisps, which fly as thick as glow worms over this union, and after leading our poor, soft, good natured, stiff opiniative citizens, like ragged poor Tom in the tragedy, "Through fire and through flame, through ford and whirlpool, over bog and quagmire," leave them in the lurch, to find their way out again in the dark, or to be again led astray by the false light of the first treacherous insect that flits across them with the attraction of a luminous tail. In short, nothing that I know can more exactly convey the idea of the gross misapplication of the term *patriot* among us, than the child's application of the word *funny* to the funeral. Should I ever hear of her applying it to a house on fire, (which I assure you is not improbable) I shall take care to give you notice of it, as a still more exact illustration of the truth.

A friend of mine, with whom I have many good natured arguments, took upon him the other day to affirm that he rejoiced in the multitude of that class of beings, by courtesy called patriots—"for, (said he) as an abundance of bees denotes plenty of flowers, and large flocks of birds a glut of sweet cherries, so these patriots swarm most where the prosperity of a country under a popular government and the rapidity of its growth and importance, produces the richest harvest of offices to feed the idle stragglers of society." Pretty employment truly, I replied, for a wise people to be raising harvests only for the reputation of pampering patriots. In England and I[re]land, vast flights of crows and rooks b[ear] testimony to the rich produce of the w[heat] and potatoe fields; but the unenlighte[ned] selfish farmer regards their plunderin[g] patriotic oratory, delivered in a ch[oir] of thousands of cawing throats, as his worst enemy, and rewards it with a few charges of powder and shot; hanging up his miscreants he has killed, *in terro*[rem]. But soon they learn to despise the scarecrow—and again the field is blackened with their numbers. "Why Paddy, [your] potatoe field is quite covered with crows," said a gentleman to a poor Irishman. "Quite covered!" replied Paddy "[there] 's as many crows as a crow for every potatoe in the field, your honor." "Why don't you get a gun and shoot them?" said the other. "Shoot them indeed!—why by Jasus, [upon my] honor, every crow you'd shoot would [turn] into twenty—No, no, it's bad enough to lose the potatoes, and not to throw away powder and shot upon the thieves, and for the matter of that, it is not clear to me but that if I was to have any [thing] to do with them, they would swallow up myself for a potatoe, and the gun [along] with me, stock, lock, and barrel.

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CURIO.

* Cumberland's best tragedy.

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The mercury at Salem on Sunday was up to 98—and at Boston on Tuesday 99, according to one paper, and to another 97.

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Despatches were received at the War Department yesterday from Gen. Jackson. The bearer Mr. Hambly, reached the city on Monday night, and would have been here, he informs us, some days earlier, but for detentions on the road arising from the irregularity of the stages on some parts of the line. General Jackson's letters have been forwarded to the President, and their contents, of course, are unknown to us; but we understand generally, that they embrace a full account of his proceedings in the south, down to the expulsion of the Spaniards from Pensacola, and that the facts they disclose form a most ample justification of his conduct in the Spanish territory. [*Nat. Intel.*

From the Baltimore Federal Republican.

Extract of a letter to a highly respectable house in this city, dated

"*Havana, June* 26, 1818.

"This moment a small American schooner with a flag of truce has arrived from Pensacola, bearing the late Governor and suite. Our government has informed her that she will be admitted under her national flag, but does not acknowledge the *truce*. As might be expected, some little sensation and animosity bursts forth among individuals; but no hostile measures are noticed in the government, which I am happy to inform you, [the] apprehensions might be entertained [relative] to the safety of American property in this place. Business at this moment is somewhat stagnant."

Prices Current at Havana, June 22.

Flour, p. Philadelphia and Baltimore, 18 dols; beef cargo, No. 1 and 2, 15 a 16; pork do; butter 16 a 22 per ql; lard 23 a 26; hams 22 a 25; cheese, Dutch 16 a 17; do. Am. 12 a 14; mould candles (6's) 18 a 20; tallow do. 56 a 68 cts; soap Castile 24 a [30] dols per ql; do. Am. 10 a 13; beeswax [yellow] 9 a 10; rice 7; codfish 3; claret per [cask] 40; do per doz. 5; porter 2 25 a 2 50 per iron flat 4 a 7 per ql; hops 30 a 35 per [cwt]; boards 20 a 22 per M.

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Exchange on U. States, 2½ a 3 per cent prem.

All invoices must be accompanied by a consular certificate, or otherwise will be subject to an additional duty of 10 per cent.

Boston, July 2.

LATEST FROM ENGLAND.

The Queensbury Packet, arrived at Halifax, June 18, and brought London papers to May 25. Accounts, excepting the maritime news, not very interesting. Her majesty the queen of England, had been seriously indisposed, and though recovering from her immediate illness, was thought to be in so precarious a state, as to cause a question to be brought forward, in the house of lords, concerning the "custody of the king's person."

The duke of Wellington had sent his household and equipment from Paris to Cambray, and was expected to follow immediately, having completed the arrangement of *smart* money with the French government. The French chambers closed their session on the 16th of May. The negociations between Russia and the Porte, are completely at a stand. A beautiful palace of the king of Saxony, situated on the Elbe, and many fine buildings in Copenhagen, and in Pomerania, have been destroyed by fire. A tavern fracas took place in Cambray, between some French and English officers, on the subject of the battle of Waterloo, in which several lives were lost.

The British government have ordered the building of a number of large frigates, to match old "iron sides, and other 44 gun frigates in our navy.

A change is talked of in the Cabinet of France, in which the seals are to be given to M. Lane; to two departments of the Interior and Police, to M. De Cuzes, and the Finance to Villele.

There are three topics of congratulation in France—1st. The promise of an abundant harvest—2d. The approaching departure of the allied troops—3d. The striking improvement of the Revenue, of which the last quarter, as compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1817, has increased by the sum of 4,461,696 francs.

Portsmouth, June 30.

AMERICAN FISHERMEN CAPTURED.

By the schr. Cyrus King, Moore, arrived at Kittery, we learn that on the 15th inst. while that vessel in company with several others, were in the Bay of Fundy, after having paid their light money, and obtained the privilege of getting bait in said bay, they were captured by H. B. M. sloop of war Syren, commanded by T. Harper, Esq. and sent into the Harbor of Digby, where they were stripped of their sails, &c.

The crew of the Cyrus King, on the third night after being carried in, got the keeper of their vessel intoxicated, went into the Custom House Store, where they obtained a schooner's jib and mainsail, and after cutting her cable, got to sea, and arrived at Kittery on Saturday last.

There were five other fishing schooners captured at the same time with the Cyrus King.

Providence, June 30.

At a special District Court held in this town on the 22d inst. the Spanish brig Bello Corunes, prize to the Patriot Privateer Puerydon, was, by the consent of the claimants, decreed to the Spanish Consul; and the brig and cargo ordered to be sold, and the proceeds, after paying the duties and expences, vested in United States stock, to await the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States. Appeals have been entered by the captors of the brig, to the Circuit Court of the United States, which meets in this town in November next.

FROM EAST INDIA PAPERS.

Calcutta, February 28.

On the 1st of January, a desperate conflict took place at Corry Ghaum. The 2d battalion 1st regiment Bombay Native Infantry, under Cap. Staunton, having been ordered from Seroor, to reinforce the troops at Poorna, was attacked at 10 A. M. at the first mentioned place by the whole of the Peishwa, consisting of about 16,000 men, and 3000 Arabs—the action continued until night, when the enemy retired, leaving 500 dead in the village. The 2d battalion had 50 killed and 120 wounded; the Artillery had Lt. Chrisolm, and 12 European killed, and 8 wounded; the auxiliary horse lost about 70 men.—Lt. Patterson was mortally wounded.—Lt. Swantoo, Ensign Connellan, and Dr. Wingate, were wounded, and the latter left behind. The British retreated to Seroor, which they reached on the 2d, with every bayonet stained with blood. The enemy did not pursue them.

The fortified town of Jhawud was taken by assault on the 28th of January.—Jeswom Roo Bhow's camp and guns were also taken. The loss of the enemy was great—the British small.

On the 13th of January, a large body of Pindarees were attacked by the 5th regiment of Bengal Native Calvalry, under Maj. Clarke. They were taken completely by surprise, and routed with the loss of nearly one thousand killed.

Treaties have been concluded with the Napore Rajah, and with Holkar, highly advantageous and honorable to the British Arms.

Northampton, (Mass.) June 30.

Swarms of locusts have recently appeared in this part of the country, extending upon the right bank of Connecticut river twenty or thirty miles south of this town.—It is impossible to measure the extent of the injury they are doing to the timber. Many trees are now apparently dead. The female locusts are armed with a sting of nearly the third of an inch in length, and of the stiffness and point of a wire sharpened.—They attach themselves to the under side of the small limbs, and commence the process of stinging. Their progress is to the extremity of the limb, which is as distinctly marked as it could be by obliquely puncturing the limb with an awl, and so raising the awl at each puncture, as to crack the bark in a regularly continued, and unless impeded by some obstruction, in nearly a right line. There are about three incisions to an inch, each penetrating to the heart of the limb, which is filled with small worms or eggs, of the color and appearance of very small kernels of rice, but distinctly visible to the naked eye. We are not able to state further particulars in relation to these ruinous insects, nor when nor where they first appeared, nor precisely how far they have extended themselves; but their progress so far as we have seen, is as marked as the progress of fire.—Those who are curious to examine, will find myriads of them upon the east side of the southern extremity of Mt. Tom.

Effectually to destroy Bed Bugs.

Take two ounces of quicksilver and the whites of two eggs, and in this ratio for a larger or smaller quantity. Beat the quicksilver and the whites together until they unite and become a froth. With a feather then apply the compound thus formed to the crevices and holes in your bedsteads.—This done once or twice a year, will prove effectual. An old remedy but a sure one.

CURIOUS INCIDENT.

A gentleman of great respectability informs us of a very singular event which hapened a few days since in Hanover County—on the plantation of a Mrs. Hawes, within a few miles of this City, a negro woman left her sucking child asleep in her cabin to bring water from a spring. On returning to the door of her humble dwelling, what was her astonishment and horror at seeing a black snake, coiled round the neck of her infant, with its mouth applied to and apparently introduced into that of the child! Words are too faint to give an adequate idea of the feelings of the mother. With the wild shriek of horror, she rushed from the cabin crying aloud for assistance and flew into the presence of her mistress. There was not a man near them. They returned with the utmost precipitation to the cabin, when they saw the snake departing, who gliding through the weeds effected his escape. On examining the poor infant, it was found dead.—It is known that black snakes are fond of milk, and that to satiate their appetite, they will sometimes twine themselves around the legs of the cow, in order to suck her teats. It is supposed that allured by the smell of milk in the mouth of the child, the snake coiled around its neck, and applied its own mouth to that of the infant. Its gripe is known to be very strong—and by this, as well as by introducing its head into the mouth, completely strangled the babe. It had no marks of a bite about it. Few modes of death can be conceived more horrible than this

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A noise on the stairs gave us reason [to] suppose that Knapp was forcing his [way] to the dining-room, and we could plainly hear the following dialogue:

Matthews. "Really Knapp I wish [you] could be persuaded to go home. Dowton is not here, you may depend upon't."

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Knapp. My dear fellow dont be po[sitive]. I am going to my engagement in the morning, and my friend Dow owes me a [sum] of money, which I must have."

"You lie, you scoundrel," exclaimed Dowton, unable to contain himself, I [owe] you money, you ungrateful vagabond, you—you—you."—In a paroxysm of [rage] which deprived him of utterance, he would have run down stairs, if we had not prevented him.

Knapp. Ah! his voice! I knew he was here! Dow, my dear friend, I must [and] will shake hands with you.

Here a struggle took place on the [stairs] followed by blows; at length Matthews exclaimed, "foul play! foul play!" Dowton now broke from us, vociferating, "[Let] me come at him! I'll teach the beggarly scoundrel to follow me!" But judge what was the general astonishment, when we rushed out followed by Mrs. Matthews with a light, to find Dowton collaring Matthews, and that Mr. Knapp had never been on the spot at all.

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PORT OF ALEXANDRIA...JULY 10.

ARRIVED,

Schr Sally, Patt, 13 days from [Prov]idence; rum, lime &c. to E. Corning.

Brig Emily, Dole, 13 days from [Bang]ryport, passed up this afternoon [for] Georgetown.

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N. E. Rum, Brandy, &c.

LAWRASON & FOWLE have [just] received for sale,

10 hhds } N E Rum
100 bbls }
3 pipes Cognac Brandy
3 do Holland Gin
30 boxes soft shelled Almonds
50 do Chelmsford Glass, [8] by 10 to 12 by 14
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Shelmerdine's Hats,

THE subscriber has just received [a] supply of Shelmerdine's first [quality] Hats. He has also in store,

London first quality Hats
Men's wool do
Boys' do do
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To describe Dowton's countenance is impossible. Passion deprived him of articulation: he sputtered, and stormed, and stamped, and was on the point of running down stairs, with a fixed determination to kick Knapp into the street, when Matthews interfered: "He could not," he said, "permit the poor man to be inhospitably treated in his house, and would himself endeavor to get rid of him." Dowton now gave full vent to his passion. "The scounerel," exclaimed he, as he paced the room, "am I to be hunted to death by this prince of paupers? the d——nd rascal, not content with picking my pocket, exposes me to all my friends, and follows me wherever I go: but I'll stop him; I'll apply to a magistrate."

A noise on the stairs gave us reason to suppose that Knapp was forcing his way to the dining-room, and we could plainly hear the following dialogue:

Matthews. "Really Knapp I wish you could be persuaded to go home. Dowton is not here, you may depend upon't."

Knapp. "My dear fellow I know you wish me well, but my friend Dowton appointed me to meet him here, to receive a subscription he meant to set on foot after supper. So pray let me go up for I must see him." At the word subscription, Dowton foamed with rage; but as Matthews had denied his being in the house, he restrained himself, and the dialogue proceeded.

Matthews. "Mr. Knapp, you must give me leave to be master of my own house, and I insist upon your going down stairs."

Knapp. My dear fellow dont be po itive. I am going to my engagement in the morning, and my friend Dow owes me a trifle of money, which I must have."

"You lie, you scoundrel," exclaimed Dowton, unable to contain himself, I owe you money, you ungrateful vagabond?—you—you—you."—In a paroxysm of rage, which deprived him of utterance, he would have run down stairs, if we had not prevented him.

Knapp. Ah! his voice! I knew he was here! Dow, my dear friend, I must and will shake hands with you.

Here a struggle took place on the stairs, followed by blows; at length Matthews exclaimed, "foul play! foul play!" Dowton now broke from us, vociferating, "let me come at him! I'll teach the beggarly scoundrel to follow me!" But judge what was the general astonishment, when we rushed out followed by Mrs. Matthews with a light, to find Dowton collaring Matthews, and that Mr. Knapp had never been upon the spot at all.

Exchange Coffee-House
MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA...JULY 9.

ARRIVED,

Schr Sally, Patt, 13 days from Providence; rum, lime &c. to E. Corning.

Brig Emily, Dole, 13 days from Newburyport, passed up this afternoon for Georgetown.

Brig Susan, Woodbury, 14 days from Portland; plaister, furniture, &c. to Lawrason & Fowle, and Saml. Ward. Passengers, Mr. Ward and family, and 4 others.

Brig Cumberland, Nelson, 15 days from St. Thomas's; coffee, hides, and specie, to Butts & Cawood, and James and Joshua Harper. July 4, 20 leagues east of Cape Henry, spoke brig Meritorious, 5 days from New-York, bound to Charleston.

Sloop Ocean, Middleton, 50 hours from Norfolk; Molasses &c to Barnewall & Popham, and others. Passengers, Rev. Mr. Wilmer, Rev. Mr. Norris, and eight other gentlemen. Nothing bound up, inland vessels excepted.

N. E. Rum, Brandy, &c.

LAWRASON & FOWLE have just received for sale,
10 hhds } N E Rum
100 bbls }
3 pipes Cognac Brandy
8 do Holland Gin
30 boxes soft shelled Almonds
50 do Chelmsford Glass, sizes fr. 8 by 10 to 12 by 14
150 casks Nails and Brads, assorted, from 2d to 30d
5000 lbs Sugar Paper
10 boxes Lemons July 10

Shelmerdine's Hats, &c.

THE subscriber has just received a fresh supply of Shelmerdine's first quality Hats. He has also in store,

London first quality Hats	
Men's wool	do
Boys' do	do
Servants' glazed	do
Children's fancy	do
Morocco	do
Leghorn	do

Which, together with his own manufacture, comprises a large and general assortment. S. D. HARPER.
July 10 1w

Piano Fortes and Globes.

TWO very elegant Piano Fortes, and 1 pair of handsome 12 inch Globes, mounted on high stands, with compasses
For sale by JAS. KENNEDY & SON.
July 10 fmw2w

N. E. Rum, Pork, &c.

JOHN H. LADD & Co. have now landing and offer for sale,
60 bbls N E Rum
25 do Prime Pork [Shoes
8 cases men's, boys' and children's
4 do Thread
July 10 2w

N. E. Rum, Cheese, &c.

E. CORNING has received by the schooner Sally, and offers for sale at Vowell's wharf,
8 hhds N. E. Rum
600 weight of new Cheese
1 case of Brown Shirting
1 Plaid and do
76 casks of Lime
25 bbls prime Pork.
July 10 6t

New Publications, &c.

Just received for sale by the subscribers,
DR. Leland's view of the advantage and necessity of the Christian Revelation, shewn from the state of Religion in the ancient heathen world—2 vols. octavo
Childe Harold's Pilgrimage, by Lord Byron, Canto 4th
Rob Roy MacGregor, or Auld Lang Syne, a Musical Drama
Reflections on Suicide, from the French of Madame de Stael
The Life of Mrs. Graham
Do. of Mrs. Ramsay
Pinkerton's new and elegant Modern Atlas, Nos. 16, 17 and 18. ☞Gentlemen wishing to be possessed of this splendid work, which is now nearly finished, will please to make early application to
JAS. KENNEDY & SON.
July 10 fmw2w

Molasses, Paper, &c.

EIGHTY hhds choice retailing molasses
600 reams writing paper
20 hhds whiskey—for sale by
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
July 10 tf

Sugars, Wines, &c.

FORTY-FOUR hogsheads Barbadoes and Martinique Sugars
46 boxes Claret Wine
6 pipes Brandy
8 do. } L. P. Madeira Wine
3 hhds. }
60 kegs prime Chewing Tobacco
Just received and for sale by
JOHN JACKSON & Co.
July 10 2w

To Rent,

The two-story frame House on Union, between King and Prince streets, recently occupied by Geo. K. Wise. Immediate possession will be given. Apply to
July 10 THOMAS LOWE.

For Richmond,

The substantial schr JANE, capt. Catlin, will sail in 2 or 3 days: for freight or passage apply to
FR. ADAMS, Jr.
July 10 3t

For Norfolk,

The fast-sailing sloop UNION, J. Middleton master, will sail on Friday, 10th inst. For freight or passage, having elegant accommodations, apply to the master on board, at Ramsay's wharf, or to
July 9—2t JOHN M'COBB.

Valuable Land for Sale.

THE subscriber wishes to sell a tract of land containing 558 acres, situate in Nangemoy, Charles county, Maryland.—This land lies compact on the Potomac, adjoining the farm of William D. Harrison, Esq. about 2 miles above Maryland Point, is well adapted to the growth of wheat, corn, and tobacco, and might be made a desirable farm. Also, another tract, containing 201 acres, about half a mile from the former, and adjoining the lands of Col. John Tayloe.—A further description of this property is deemed unnecessary, as those wishing to purchase will, no doubt, view the premises. If not sold before at private, they will be offered at public sale in the town of Port-Tobacco, on Monday the 10th day of August next. Terms one-third of the purchase money on the day of sale, the remainder in equal payments of 12 or 18 months, when a sufficient deed will be given. DANIEL JENIFER,
July 10—fmwts Port-Tobacco.

The editors of the National Intelligencer will publish the above three times a week—once in the daily and twice in the country paper, and forward their account to the subscriber.

Shoes, &c.

TEN cases men's, women's and children's leather and morocco shoes, and boots and bootees:
ALSO,
Ladies' straw bonnets of latest fashion.—Just received, and for sale at low prices by JOHN KETTELL & Co.
July 9 3t

Pickling Vinegar.

I HAVE at my Vinegar Yard on Fairfax street, opposite the first Presbyterian Church, a large quantity of
Very choice Cider Vinegar,
which I will warrant.—And which I will sell by the barrel at 25 cents per gallon—and by the single gallon at 33 cents.
Attendance will be given from 9 in the morning until 5 in the evening.
July 9—6t. JOHN T. BROOKS.
The editor of the National Intelligencer will insert the above six times.

Green Coffee.

56 BAGS prime green coffee just received and for sale by
SAML. MESSERSMITH.
July 8 3t

Turtle Soup.

☞A fine Green Turtle will be dressed THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock. Families will be supplied with soup. T. SHIELDS.
July 10 1t

Green Turtles.

A FEW green Turtles will be sold alive by the subscriber, if applied for soon, or dressed for families. Soup will be offered in a few days; of which due notice will be given.
T. SHIELDS,
July 8 1w

COHEN'S OFFICE,
BALTIMORE, JULY 7.
29th DAY'S DRAWING.

No. 22919 a prize of $3500
*8468 100
14017 18741 20224 50
12 of 20, and 164 prizes of $12
*Sold at Cohen's Office.

The capital prizes of
30,000 dolls.
20,000 dolls.
10,000 dolls.
Are all still undrawn.

Gain of the wheel upwards of 30,000 Dollars!

Whole tickets	$15
Halves,	7 50
Quarters,	3 75
Eighths,	1 87

To be had, (warranted undrawn) at
COHEN'S
Lottery & Exchange Office,
110 MARKET-STREET,
Where ALL THE CAPITALS were sold in the last class, and where have been obtained more Capital Prizes than at any other office in America.

Wine and Rye Flour.

29 Cases (containing 1 dozen each) very old and superior Madeira wine
32 barrels rye flour, received per sloop Huntress from New-York.
For sale by
BARNEWALL & POPHAM.
July 7 1w

Pine Apples, Turtles, &c.

JOHN H. LADD & Co offer for sale, the cargo of schr Resolution, from New-Providence, consisting of
900 dozen pine apples in fine order
12 green turtles
50 thousand limes
10 tons lignumvitæ and satin wood
June 27 2w

Brandy.

LANDING from schr Philadelphia, and for sale by
JOHN KETTELL & Co.
6 pipes first quality Cognac Brandy.
July 7 3t

Muscovado Sugar.

WILL be landed this day from on board the British brig Fame, from Barbados, at Merchants' wharf, and for sale by the subscriber,
41 hhds prime muscovado sugar
JAMES PATTON.
July 6 tf

Claret.

A FEW cases of Medoc Claret, of a superior quality, for sale by
July 3 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

John H. Ladd & Co.

HAVE received per schrs Sally and Resolution, and offer for sale,
30 bags green coffee
3 hhds 4th proof Grenada rum
Also per schr Merino,
2 pipes Cognac brandy
2 hhds W I Rum
24 bbls N E Rum
10 bbls muscovado sugar
7 chests young hyson tea
18 boxes sperm candles
Bags pepper and pieces Russia sheetings
June 27 2w

Bank of Alexandria,

JULY 6, 1818.

A DIVIDEND of four per cent for the last half year, is this day declared, and will be paid to the stockholders in the institution, or their legal representatives, on Thursday the 9th inst.
J. L. M'KENNA, Cash'r.
July 7 3w

Union Bank of Alexandria,
July 2, 1818.

STOCKHOLDERS in this institution, are hereby notified, that on the capital paid in, a dividend of four per cent, from the profits for the last six months, is this day declared payable on the 9th inst. agreeably to order.
C. T. CHAPMAN, Cashr.
July 3 tf

Prunello Shoes, &c. &c.

JUST received by the subscriber from New-York, and for sale,
Artificial flowers, hair netts
Black chip and Leghorn
Head ornaments, necklaces
White kid gloves, lans
Parasols, prunello shoes.
The above articles were purchased low at the New-York auctions, and will be sold at a small advance.
ALSO, ON HAND,
India blinds, Cologn water
White thread lace shawls
Do. and black silk do. do.
Sattin and muslin turbans, &c. &c.
MARY MOONEY,
July 8—3t Fairfax street.

20 boxes Philadelphia cider
20 kegs ginger
12 do oysters
Beef and pork
Codfish and potatoes
8 hhds Barbados sugars
4 do do molasses
20 boxes sperm candles
4 chests hyson tea
20 kegs tobacco
80 bbls whiskey—and a general assortment of GROCERIES, at wholesale and retail. ☞Ship Stores put up at short notice. WANTED,
2000 bushels of yellow or yellow and white mixed Corn—and a small cargo of Thomaston lime.
July 3 fmw2w

Notice.

THE subscriber will apply to the bank of Alexandria for a renewal of the following certificates of stock now standing in the name of Joseph Conway, dec. the same having been lost or mislaid:—
Nos. 336; 498; 1166; 1167; 1168; 1169; 1773; 1774; 1775; 1845; 2070; 2071; 2072; 2073; 2074; 1531; 1561; 1817; 1818; 2081.
WM. HERBERT, Jun. Adm'r.
June 25

100 Dollars Reward,

FOR delivering to me, or securing in any jail in the United States, so that I get him again, a Negro man named HADON, who ran away on the 8th of September last.—Hadon is about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, 24 or 25 years of age, light complexion, (though black,) very likely, rather a down look, trim made, and very active. I purchased him of Col. Enoch Renoe, of Prince William county, where his mother and several brothers live—he has also relations near Leesburg, Loudoun county, where he was caught about the 1st of January, but made his escape—he has relations in Stafford county, the property of a Mr. Baty—he was seen in that neighborhood not long after he ran away, occasionally shifting his residence to avoid detection. I caution any person that may take him to be on his guard, as he has made his escape three times from his cunning and activity. CHARLES L. SEARS.
Fairfax co. Virginia, near the Occoquan mills, July 8.
N. B. This Negro has several relatives in Charles county, Maryland, in the neighborhood of Nanjemoy, belonging to a Mr. Renoe. 3t*

20 Dollars Reward,

FOR delivering to me or securing in Jail so that I get her again, a mulatto woman named FLORA, who run away on the 26th of June last. Flora is about 5 feet high, well made, large feet, good countenance, twenty four or five years old. She carried off with her, a girl child, 4 months old; and a variety of clothing, among them are a black silk dress—one buff calico—one domestic riding coat, nankeen colour—a new black fur hat. It is believed she was carried to Alexandria in the mail cart, and has since been seen there, and no doubt is concealed by the negroes of that place; whoever delivers the woman and child to me, or secures them in jail shall receive the above reward.
C. L. SEARS,
Fairfax County, Va. near the Occoquan Mills, July 8 3t*

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, on the night of the 7th June inst. an apprentice to the Printing Business, named JOHN SETON, born in Ireland, between 16 and 17 years old, dark complexion, eyes and hair. Had on and took with him, a long blue cloth coat, second quality, gray ribbed pantaloons, striped summer vest, cotton stockings, ruffled shirt, a roram hat, besides coarse shirts, a great coat of brown cloth, with a velvet collar, and silver hook and eye, a pair of blue cloth trowsers, and other clothing not recollected. It is believed he is gone to New-York.
Whoever takes up said apprentice, confines him in any jail in the United States, and gives me legal information of the same, shall receive the above reward.
Masters of vessels, and all other persons, without exception, are forbid harboring or trusting him on their peril.
WILLIAM M'CORKLE,
Editor of the Freeman's Journal Philad.

SALES AT AUCTION.

By P. C. MARSTELLER.

On TUESDAY, at 10 A. M.
will be sold at the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water-streets;
Superfine and fine cloths
Cassimeres
Coatings
Corduroys and velvets
Bombasetts
Stockinetts; irish linens; dimities
Shirting cottons
Marseilles vestings
Cotton shawls
Madras bdkfs
Leno, cambric and jaconet muslins
Silk, beaver, kid and buck skin gloves
Leno, jaconet and book muslin bdkfs
Silk, cotton and woollen hosiery
Calicoes
Ginghams
Bobbin, thread, tape, buttons, &c.
ALSO,
100 pocket glasses
1000 fly drivers
Horn snakes
Buckles, scissors, padlocks, ribbons
ALSO,
60 crates queensware
100 gin cases
3 hhds muscovado sugar
20 boxes candles
20 bags filberts
10 boxes chocolate
150 pieces Holl. rush carpeting, &c.
IMMEDIATELY AFTER,
A likely Negro Girl,
aged about 16, for the term of 12 years. She is accustomed to house work; and is not to be removed out of the neighborhood.
July 10

Sugar, Coffee, &c.

40 hhds. prime Barbados sugar
370 bags prime green coffee; entitled to debenture
25 bags fresh filberts
40 hhds bright retailing molasses
40 bbls prime pork
80 do N. E. rum
19 pipes Peirpoint's gin
1 Holland do
400 demijohns
27 boxes China tea setts
30 gun powder tea
L. P. Madeira, Malaga and claret wines
1 case Canton crapes, assorted
1 Ladies' morocco shoes
1 bale containing furniture dimities, British shirtings & Russia sheetings
20 boxes spermaceti candles
65 casks cut nails, &c. &c.
For sale by
BARNEWALL & POPHAM.
June 24 d3tmwf4w

Bolting Cloths.

THE subscribers have received an assortment of bolting cloths of a very superior quality—which will be sold low by the piece or otherwise. They intend keeping an assortment in future.
J. & J. JANNEY.
7th mo. 1 w8w

Whiskey, Tea, &c.

LANDING and for sale by the subscribers,
30 barrels whiskey, (Baltimore inspection.)
45 chests, half chests, and boxes young hyson tea.
25 bags coffee.
6 boxes fig blue.
6 puncheons fine flavored Jamaica rum.
5 do. West India do.
N. & R. BLACKLOCK.
June 9 tuths4w.

Saddlery.

THE Subscriber returns his grateful acknowledgments to the public for the encouragement which he has met—although small, it has met his most sanguine expectations. He has on hand a handsome assortment of articles, in his line of business, and solicits a further participation in their encouragement.—He has just received a handsome parcel of English saddle and bridle leather, of first quality—and assures the public that no attention on his part shall be wanting to afford satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage.
N. B. Saddles and bridles of English leather. ROBERT F. DEGGE.
July 5 m*f

Umbrellas and Parasols.

THE subscriber has received by the Philadelphia, a few umbrellas and parasols, which with his former stock comprises a large and elegant assortment.
The ladies will find it to their interest to call and examine the above goods.
LIKEWISE,
In store, a good assortment of fancy, morocco, gilt and common trunks.
DANIEL PIERCE,
King street, 2 doors below Washington street.
Umbrellas, parasols, and trunks repaired.
N. B. Those that have left umbrellas to repair, are invited to call for them.

For Sale.

The subscriber offers for sale the large Brick Building lately occupied by him in the town of Alexandria, together with most of the essential articles of Furniture attached to it. The whole will be sold on the most reasonable terms.—He also offers for sale, an excellent Philadelphia built carriage, and a pair of well broke horses. W. H. FITZHUGH.
Ravensworth, June 25—d1w7tif

HOUSES, LANDS, &c.

Indian Queen Tavern.

The subscriber offers for sale the Lease on the House he now occupies as a TAVERN, which has four and a half years to run. It is one of the most eligible and central situations in town, and commands a large share of country custom. He also offers all the household and kitchen

Furniture, Servants, &c.

Immediate possession will be given.

JAMES SHETHAR

June 25 dtf

To Rent,

The Brick Warehouse at the corner of Prince & Union streets, now occupied by Caldwell & Jackson—the stand for a grocery, ship chandlery, or auction store, equal to any in the place—Immediate possession can be given.

Also to Rent,

The Coopling Room, and part or all the Brick Warehouse occupied by Lindsay & Hill—Possession given on the 1st of Aug.

May 25 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

To Let,

The House and Store on Fairfax street, adjoining the subscribers, recently occupied by Mrs. Haskins, possession may be had immediately.

MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR,

N. B A reward of 20 dollars is offered for discovery of any of those indecent persons who are in the practice of depositing nuisances in the lot corner of Cameron and Pitt streets. near the Playhouse. May 29.

Public Sale.

On Saturday, 11th of July, at 4 P. M. will be exposed to public sale, on the premises, that LOT, west side of Fairfax street, between Prince and King sts. and south of Mr. Wedderburn's, on which is a large and commodious brick building, containing a number of well finished apartments, kitchen, &c.

This property is subject to an annual ground rent of $240. Terms made known at the time of sale.

COLIN AULD.

June 24 P. G. MARSTELLER, auct.

Plaister Land.

The subscriber offers for sale a FARM of 450 acres, being part of the tract whereon he resides, in Fauquier county, Va. More than one-third of this Farm is in timber, and is land of the richest quality. The cleared land is in good heart, having had the advantage of a clover lay, and no soil being more susceptible of plaister improvement. He would also dispose of a lot of 50 acres, the whole of which is in timber, and is firstrate tobacco and meadow land. On this lot has been erected well built saw mill, contiguous to which at the confluence of Broad and Mill runs) is a most valuable scite for a merchant mill. No property is better worth the attention of a person wishing to engage in such business. On the first mentioned farm are a commodious overseer's house, a new barn, stables, corn houses and negro quarters, and about 20 acres of timothy meadow.

THOMAS TURNER,

Near Hay Market Post-Office.

June 26 2m†

For Sale,

A VALUABLE FARM, containing between six and seven hundred acres of land, the greater part of which is in timber, and adjoins the land of Charles Thift and Edmond J. Lee, esq. and extends to the road from Leesburg to the mill lately known as Miller's Mill, on Goose Creek, and not more than three quarters of a mile from the turnpike road now making. The furthest boundary of this land is not more than three miles from Leesburg, and the nearest, which is in timber, not more than one mile and a half. The timbered land will be laid off into 10 or 15 acre lots, reserving a sufficient quantity for the land now cleared and in cultivation. It is unnecessary to say that this land is as well adapted to plaister as any in that part of the country; and if not sold at private sale previous to the September Leesburg court will be then offered at public sale, and the terms made known on the day.

There are fifteen or twenty negroes residing on the farm that may be purchased with it if wanted.

LANDOR CARTER.

Sabine Hall, June 1 [5] fmwts

Valuable Property.

FOR SALE, a HOUSE and LOT OF GROUND, 35 by 70 feet, situate at the corner of Duke and Union streets, occupied by David Mankins—subject to a lien to said Mankins. Also,

One HOUSE and LOT on Fairfax-st. occupied by Joshua Riddle. Also,

One VACANT LOT, corner of Fairfax and Wilkes streets. Also,

Two HOUSES and LOTS on Wilkes-street, occupied by Mr. Frazier. Also,

One HALF WATER LOT near the property of Joseph Dean. Also,

A VACANT LOT, corner of Wilkes and Royal streets.

March 18 WM. HERBERT, Jun.

600 acres of Land for sale.

THIS Tract is situated in Westmoreland county, Virginia, adjacent to Mr. Garnett Hunter's Plantation, and contiguous to the waters of the Potomac. The neighborhood is good—water excellent, and very desirable situations for building. A considerable proportion of the land is well timbered, besides a good deal of cedar, pine and other wood, sufficiently convenient to make it an object for those who may be disposed to send it to market—it is nearly equi-distant from Baltimore, Washington and Norfolk.

Any one wishing to purchase may apply to ROGER JONES,

Also, a very valuable LOT, containing 140 acres, being a part of the late Mr. John Turberville's tract—within 6 miles of Georgetown, 3 from the Little Falls Bridge, and near to the turnpike leading from thence to Wiley's, in Fairfax county, Va. A great proportion of this land is exceedingly well timbered, and that part which is not, is so recently cleared as to be in an active state for cultivation, and already in a productive condition.—For terms, apply to PHILIP C. JONES, esq. in Leesburg, Va. or to R. JONES.

March 30 tf

Notice.

THE subscribers who are executors to the last will and testament of col. John Fitzgerald, and wishing to settle, close and adjust, the amount of his arrearages to the government, will dispose of by private contract that well known and valuable 37 acre Lot adjoining the city of Alexandria, (subject to the dower right of the widow) nearly whereon is the celebrated Federal Spring, and a portion of said Lot is on a commanding and beautiful eminence well adapted for a dwelling house. They will also sell the Distillery lot nearly adjoining Mr. Hunter's Ship Yard, with sundry articles thereunto appertaining, as a large Still-Worm, &c. They will also dispose of a half acre lot handsomely situated near the Academy and Mr. Cleon Moore's.

Application may be made either jointly or separately to the subscribers, who are empowered by the Comptroller of the Treasury to give any reasonable time for the payment of the purchase money on approved securities.

THOS. A. DIGGES, of Warburton.
JAMES KEITH, of Alexandria.

June 26. 1m

Valuable Land for Sale.

I WILL sell the farm on which I reside, known by the name of Indian Town, and containing about one thousand acres. It is situated in Charles Co. Md. on Nanjemoy Creek near its mouth, about seven miles from Port Tobacco, and forty from Washington City. Few farms combine greater advantages than this; added to a fertility of soil equal to any in the country, it binds on the creek nearly two miles, which affords great facility in getting its productions to market, and precludes the necessity of much fencing; the creek affords in their seasons, fish and wild fowl in abundance.—The soil is peculiarly adapted to the growth of Tobacco, Wheat and Indian Corn, and the plaister has been found from experience to act on it admirably. There are now about 100 acres in clover, some of which is well set. The improvements are a new two story dwelling house 16 by 40 feet, kitchen, barn, stables, carriage house, with every other necessary out house, the whole in good repair. There is also a wind-mill in good order, the toll of which affords meal enough for the support of the farm.—Also, one other tract containing 115 acres in the forest, about three miles distant, entirely in the wood. There is a well of excellent water in the yard, and several springs on different parts of the farm. The premises may be viewed, and the terms known by application to the subscriber. Should the above farm be unsold on the 1st of Sept. next, I will lease it for a term of years.

THEOPHILUS HARGRAVE.

Indian Town, June 29 mthtf

Notice.

WOOD SELLERS to this place will find it to their advantage by calling on the subscribers, who have established a wood yard, adjoining John Hunter's ship yard.

LEONARD MARBURY,
JOSEPH HUNTER.

June 22 mwftf

THE Subscriber wishes to inform his friends and the public, that he has on hand a good supply of the first quality Burr Blocks. His shop is near Col. Peyton's store, where he can supply all Millers at the shortest notice with first rate Mill stones, and which he will warrant equal if not superior to any in the United States, and will sell them at the most reduced prices—the workmanship superior to any in the district.

Dec. 18 ROBERT GLENN.

THE delinquent stockholders in the Leesburg Turnpike Road Company will please to take notice, that their first instalment, required by the president and directors of said company, of ten dollars on each share of stock by them subscribed, was due and payable on the first day of Sept. last—the second instalment of ten dollars on each share on the first day of Jan. and the third instalment of ten dollars on each share will be due on the first day of July next, and if not punctually paid on or before the 15th of Aug. next, they will be dealt with as the law directs.

SAM'L CARR, *Treas.*

Leesburg, June 22 5w

District of Columbia, to wit:

Alexandria County, } April Term, 1818. }

IN CHANCERY.

James Bloxham, Assignee of Thomas W. Peyton—*Complainant,*

VERSUS

Eben Taylor, John Roberts and David H. Allen; the two last trading under the firm of Roberts and Allen—*Defendants.*

THE defendant, Eben Taylor, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said Eben Taylor is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said Complainant, by his Council, it is ordered, That the said Defendant, Eben Taylor, do appear here on the first day of the next Court, and enter his appearance to this suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and, that the other defendants, Roberts and Allen, do not pay away, convey, or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands, belonging to the said absent defendant, Eben Taylor, until the further order or decree of this Court: and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively, in one of the public newspapers published in this county, and that another copy be posted at the front door of the Court-House of said County.

Test. G. DENEALE, C. C.

June 12 F2m

Dr. Thomson's System of Chemistry.

IN FOUR VOLUMES OCTAVO.

THE preceding edition of Dr. Thomson's Chemistry, had acquired so much reputation both in England and upon the continent of Europe, that a new edition, comprising the new facts with which the science had been enriched, and the new views of the subject which extended knowledge had suggested as indispensable, was eagerly looked for by the scientific world. A new edition has accordingly appeared, wherein the former edition of five volumes has been condensed into four.

All the new discoveries, and all the new theories of Chemical Phænomena, have been considered and embraced in the present improved edition: so that it is indispensable to the chemical student, as presenting the only condensed view of the changes and alterations in chemical doctrine, which the discoveries of the last ten years have suggested. No apology therefore can be necessary for reprinting such a book in this country; for the press does not furnish a substitute for it. But, there is so much theoretical suggestion—so much abstruse calculation—so much fact of dubious authority—and so much dubious validity—that notes and illustrations are absolutely necessary, not merely to render the book more useful, but more intelligible.

Under these impressions, I thought fit to write notes in illustration (and sometimes in contradiction) of the work itself, rather than to make any abridgement of it. Those who wish to know the modern views of chemical science, must peruse it; and to very many who will be anxious to study it, elucidation will be necessary. I have endeavoured to supply these, to the best of my ability; regardless whether my own opinions are in dissonance or coincidence with those of my author; leaving to the reader to decide between us.

The work will be published, with notes and illustrations, in four volumes 8vo.

THOMAS COOPER, M. D.

CONDITIONS.

I. The work will be printed on a superfine paper, with a new small pica letter; and will be published early in the ensuing summer.

II. It will be illustrated with a number of cuts, of which several have been necessarily added to the London edition.

III. It will be delivered to subscribers at $12—to non-subscribers at $14, in boards. The London edition sells for $18.

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May 28

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WM MASON.

May 8 tf

Was Committed

TO the jail of Alexandria county, as a runaway, on the 16th inst. a Negro man, who calls himself WILLIAM WILSON; says he is free born, and was raised in New-York; he is about 5 feet 2 inches high, full face and eyes, well set, black complexion, and about 22 years of age. He has been in the district about one year. The owner is requested to come and prove his property, pay charges, and take him away, otherwise he will be disposed of as the law directs. AN'W ROUNSAVELL.

June 20 Jailor.

James Kennedy & Son,

RESPECTFULLY inform the public that they have just received from *LEE's MEDICINE STORE,* No. 46, Maiden lane, New-York, a fresh supply of the following valuable MEDICINES:

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Among the symptoms attending worms are—disagreeable breath, especially in the morning; bad and corrupted gums; itching in the nose, and about the seat; convulsions, epileptic fits, and sometimes privation of speech; starting and grinding of the teeth in sleep; irregular appetite. sometimes loathing food and sometimes voracious; purging with slimy and fœtid stools; vomiting; large and hard belly; pains and sickness at the stomach; pains in the head and thighs and lowness of spirits; slow fever with small and irregular pulse; a dry cough; excessive thirst; sometimes pale and unhealthy countenance.and sometimes the face bloated and flushed.

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Facts of this conclusive nature speak more in favour of a medicine than columns of pompous eulogy founded on mere assertion.

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A sovereign remedy for colds, obstinate coughs, asthmas, sore throats, catarrhs, and approaching consumptions.—To parents who have children afflicted with the *HOOPING COUGH,* this discovery is of the first magnitude, as it affords immediate relief, checks the progress, and in a short time entirely removes the most cruel disorders to which children are liable. The Elixir is perfectly agreeable, and the dose so small that no difficulty arises in taking it.

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Consumptions	the stomach and
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A safe and effectual remedy for acute and chronic rheumatism. gout, rheumatic gout, palsy, lumbago, numbness, white swellings, chilblains, sprains, bruises, pain in the face and neck, etc. etc.

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Warranted an infallible remedy at one application, may be used with perfect safety by pregnant women, or on infants a week old, not containing a particle of mercury or any dangerous ingredient whatever, and not accompanied with that tormenting smart which attends the application of other remedies.

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The only remedy yet discovered which gives immediate and lasting relief in the most severe instances.

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For Freight,

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July 8

For Freight,

The fast sailing schooner NELSON, Tenney master, burthen 550 barrels, is a superior vessel, and can be ready for a cargo in a few days. Apply to

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Who have for sale said schooner's cargo of lime, lumber, and tanner's bark.

May 26

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Just received and for sale at his store the following articles:

First quality razors	Dressing do.
Razor strops	Beaver gloves
Cloth brushes	First and second quality do.
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Pencil cases	
Pocket books	Musk and oil
Snuff boxes	
Dressing cases	Essence of Lavender
Hair powder	
Tooth do.	Do. cinnamon
Shaving boxes	Do. Lemon
Nail brushes	Milk of roses
Shaving do	Essence of sassafras
Naples soap for shaving	Do. of winter green
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And many other articles in his line tedious to mention. June

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30 barrels whiskey, (Baltimore inspection.)

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June 9

THE delinquent stockholders in the Leesburg Turnpike Road Company will please to take notice, that their first instalment, required by the president and directors of said company, of ten dollars on each share of stock by them subscribed, was due and payable on the first day of Sept. last—the second instalment of ten dollars on each share on the first day of Jan. and the third instalment of ten dollars on each share will be due on the first day of July next, and if not punctually paid on or before the 15th of Aug. next, they will be dealt with as the law directs.

SAM'L CARR,

Leesburg, June 22

100 Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber near Piscataway, Md. on the 1st day of March, 1818, a dark mulatto man named Nick, five feet eleven inches high, slender made, bleaf, speaks a little through his nose, been in the habit of wearing rings in ears, but may have taken them off to avoid discovery. Said negro Nick has a wife on Mr. Thomas A. Digges's near Fort Washington, and is probably harbored in that neighborhood. I will give the above reward of Thirty Dollars if taken out of the State of Maryland and Twenty if taken in the State but more than ten miles from home—if within ten miles of home, Ten Dollars.

JNO. H. BEALL

april 23 th

Notice.

THE subscribers to the Falls Church Turnpike Company residing in Fairfax County, Virginia, who have subscribed with a view to enable the said company to build a Bridge across the Four Ford of Difficult Run and to form the Turnpike road, are hereby notified that they are required to pay to John Ashton Coleman, the Superintendent on the part or to his order, a monthly instalment of ten dollars per share, to commence on the 20th July next and to continue until the whole amount of subscription is paid up.

By order of the Board,

JOHN MURDOCH

Georgetown, June 19, 1818.